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12	controller	
14	hash function	300 search engine
16	memory	310 H-CAM
16a	base region	312 controller
16b	conflicts region	314 memory
18	address bus	314a base region
20	result bus	314b-e conflicts regions
50	search engine	316 search data bus
52	controller	318 address bus
54	CAM	320 result bus
56	memory	322a-d hash units
58	search data bus	324a-d CAM units
60	address bus	326 logic unit
62	result bus	328a-j paths
100	search engine	400 search engine
110	hash pointer unit	410 H-CAM
112	controller	412 controller
114	memory	414 memory
116	hash function	414a base region
118	address bus	414b-c conflicts regions
120	pointer bus	416 search data bus
122	result bus	418 address bus
200	search engine	420 result bus
210	H-CAM	422a-b hash units
212	controller	424a-b CAM units
214	memory	426 logic unit
214a	base region	428a-e paths
214b	conflicts region	430 programming unit
216	search data bus	500 process
218	address bus	510-550 steps
220	result bus	600 search engine
222	hash unit	610 H-CAM
224	CAM unit	612 controller
226	logic unit	614 memory

620	result bus	878	output logic sub-unit
622	hash unit	880	search data storage
624	CAM unit	882	comparator
640	logic unit	884	output logic sub-unit
652	comparison section	886	input path
654	search data storage	888	hit line
656	comparator		
658	logic unit	900	search engine
660	hash pointer memory	910	H-CAMs
662	search data memory	912	controller
664	hit line	914	memory
		916	search data bus
700	search engine	918	address bus
710	H-RAM	920	result bus
712	controller	922	expansion bus
714	memory	924	hit line
722	hash unit		
740	logic unit	1000	search engine
752	comparison section	1010	H-RAMs
754	search data storage	1012	controller
756	comparator	1014	memory
758	logic unit	1016	search data bus
766	comparison section	1018	address bus
		1020	result bus
800	search engine	1022	expansion bus
810	H-CAM		
812	controller	1100	search engine
814	memory	1110a	CAMs
862	hash blocks	1110b	H-CAMs
864	CAM block	1110c	H-RAMs
866	comparison section	1112	controller
868	main logic unit	1114	memory
870	input logic sub-units	1116	search data bus
872	hash unit	1118	address bus
874	input logic sub-unit	1120	result bus
876	CAM units	1122	expansion bus